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(A proper reply under 37 CFR 1.113 to a final rejection consists only of: (1) a timely filed damendment which places the application in condition for allowance; (2) a timely filed Notice of Appeal (with appeal fee), or (3) a timely filed Notice of Appeal (with appeal fee), or (3) a timely filed Notice of Appeal (with appeal fee), or (3) a timely filed Notice of Appeal (with appeal fee), or (3) a timely filed Notice of Continued Examination (RCE) in compliance with 37 CFR (1.114). (c) A reply was received on but it does not constitute a proper reply, or a bona fide attempt at a proper reply, to the non-final rejection. See 37 CFR (1.85(a) and 1.111. (See explanation in box 7 below). (d) No reply has been received. 2. Applicant's failure to timely pay the required issue fee and publication fee, if applicable, within the statutory period of three months from the mailing date of the Notice of Allowance (PTOL-85). (a) The issue fee and publication fee, if applicable, was received on (with a Certificate of Mailing or Transmission dated), which is after the expiration of the statutory period for payment of the issue fee (and publication fee) set in the Notice of Allowance (PTOL-85). (b) The submitted fee of \$ is insufficient. A balance of \$ is due. The issue fee required by 37 CFR 1.18 is \$ The publication fee, if required by 37 CFR 1.18(d), is \$ (c) The issue fee and publication fee, if applicable, has not been received. 3. Applicant's failure to timely file corrected drawings as required by, and within the three-month period set in, the Notice of Allowability (PTO-37). (a) Proposed corrected drawings were received on (with a Certificate of Mailing or Transmission dated), which is after the expiration of the period for reply. (b) No corrected drawings have been received on (with a Certificate of Mailing or Transmission dated), which is after the expiration of the period for pepty. The letter of express abandonment which is signed by an	(a) A reply was received on (with a Certificate of	Mailing or Transmission dated), which is after the expiration of the
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